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Device for thermal insulation of at least a

submarine pipeline comprising a phase-change

material confined in jackets

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTION OF SPECIES/RESTRICTION

SIR:

Requirement for Restriction Election of Species the In response December 13, 2007, and prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments and Response to Restriction begin on page 11 of this paper.

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